LEGISLATIVE BRANCH CITY OF BINGHAMTON

William Berg, City Council President Jeremy Pelletier, City Clerk

> **MINUTES Work Session** City Council Work Room, 38 Hawley Street, Binghamton Monday April 20, 2015

Called to Order. Called to order by Council President Berg at 6:05pm.

Council Members Present: Jerry Motsavage, Joseph Mihalko, Teri Rennia, Lea Webb, Chris Papastrat, John Matzo, Bill Berg; Chris Papastrat (arrived at 6:06pm), Joe Mihalko (arrived at 6:06pm)

Council Members Absent: None

Also Present: Jeremy Pelletier, City Clerk; Tito Martinez, Deputy City Clerk; Kenneth J. Frank, Corporation Counsel

ITEMS CONSIDERED

RL 14-128: Sale of 177 Oak Street to John and Alberta Casey Presented by: Jeremy Pelletier, City Clerk; John Casey, city resident Legislation supported by: Webb, Mihalko, Rennia, Motsavage, Matzo, Berg, Papastrat Sent to Corporation Counsel to be drafted as legislation.

Discussion: Tracking funds spent for term contracts

Presented by: Chuck Shager, Comptroller

Discussion: Joint Sewage Treatment Plant

Presented by: Chuck Shager, Comptroller; Richard C. David, Mayor

Executive Session. Motion to enter into executive session at 6:41pm to discuss personnel.

Moved by Mihalko, seconded by Motsavage.

Ayes: Motsavage, Mihalko, Papastrat, Matzo, Berg

Nays: Rennia, Webb

Reconvene. Called to order at 6:48pm by Council President Berg.

Council Members Present: Jerry Motsavage, Joseph Mihalko, Teri Rennia, Lea Webb, Chris Papastrat, John Matzo, Bill

Berg; Chris Papastrat, Joe Mihalko

Council Members Absent: None

Also Present: Jeremy Pelletier, City Clerk; Tito Martinez, Deputy City Clerk; Kenneth J. Frank, Corporation Counsel

RL 15-80. Transfers in 2015 to pay for project manager position in Mayor's Office Presented by: Richard C. David, Mayor; Chuck Shager, Comptroller

Legislation supported by: Motsavage, Papastrat, Matzo, Berg, Mihalko

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RL15-81. Establishing and funding a project manager position in the 2015 Mayor's Office budget

Presented by: Richard C. David, Mayor; Chuck Shager, Comptroller

Legislation supported by: Motsavage, Papastrat, Matzo, Berg, Mihalko

Sent to Corporation Counsel to be drafted as legislation. *Note: RL expedited to the Business Meeting on April 22, 2015.*

Discussion: Hard Billing vs. Soft Billing for ambulance services

Presented by: Bill Berg, City Council President

RL 15-77: Amending Chapter 265-6 Rental Registration Presented by: Kenneth J. Frank, Corporation Counsel

Legislation supported by: Berg, Motsavage

Note: RL did not receive signatures from a majority of committee members for which it was assigned nor did it receive a

majority of signatures from Council as a whole. RL Failed.

RL 15-78: Transfer in the 2015 to cover the cost of salt

Presented by: Jeremy Pelletier, City Clerk

Legislation supported by: Motsavage, Rennia, Papastrat, Matzo, Berg, Mihalko

Sent to Corporation Counsel to be drafted as legislation. *Note: RL expedited to the Business Meeting on April 22, 2015.*

RL 15-79: Authorizing LGRMIF grant application

Presented by: Jeremy Pelletier, City Clerk

Legislation supported by: Motsavage, Rennia, Papastrat, Matzo, Berg, Mihalko

Sent to Corporation Counsel to be drafted as legislation.

Note: RL will be expedited to the Business Meeting on April 22, 2015.

Discussion: City softball leagues

Presented by: Bill Berg, City Council President

Discussion: Review of Traffic Board Minutes Presented by: Bill Berg, City Council President

Discussion: CDAC at large appointment Presented by: Bill Berg, City Council President

Discussion: Review of Committee Reports & Pending Legislation

Presented by: Bill Berg, City Council President

Adjournment. Motion to adjourn at 7:56pm.

Moved by , seconded by. **Voice vote, none opposed.**

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